

Docket No.: 50395-134

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

: Customer Number: 20277

Takemi HASEGAWA, et al.

: Confirmation Number: 2299

Serial No.: 10/076,603

: Group Art Unit: 1731

Filed: February 19, 2002

: Examiner: Hoffmann, John M.

For: OPTICAL FIBER AND OPTICAL FIBER TRANSMISSION LINE, AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREFOR

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	19	24	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	2	4	0	\$86.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
					\$0.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$0.00

☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

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Reconsideration of the Office Action dated March 31, 2004, is requested in view of the following amendments and remarks: